



OAKLAND AND VICINITY:
Generally cloudy or foggy to-
night and Thursday; gentle
southwesterly winds.

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CAMBRAI ENVIRONS; COUCY, FALL TO ALLIES; BOMB ROCKS CHICAGO FEDERAL BUILDING

WATER RATE REHEARING TO BE HELD NEXT WEEK

Appeal and Protest Chiefly
Directed Against Decision
Imposing Service Charge of
50 Cents Month for Meters

FOUR CONTENTIONS
GIVEN FOR REOPENING

Railroad Commission Agrees
to Hold Inquiry in Oakland;
Plans Formed by Eastbay
Cities to Improve Supply

Applications that the water rate
hearing be reopened by the State
Railroad Commission are being filed
today by the cities of Oakland,
Berkeley and Alameda. Members of
the Commission have signified that
the request will be granted and that
the rehearing will be commenced
early next week.

The Railroad Commission has
handed down two decisions on the
matter of water rates in the East-
bay communities for the current
fiscal year, one dated July 1, in
which a slight reduction was made
to the average consumer, and a second,
dated August 13, abrogating the
first and imposing a service charge
of 50 cents a month in addition to
the charge of per 100 cubic feet of
water, no minimum being fixed.

APPEAL IS MADE
AT SECOND DECISION.

It is against this second decision,
which in effect adds close to \$8 a
year to the water bills of the aver-
age consumer, that the present protest
and appeal is being made. The
appeal for a rehearing of the
rate hearing is based on four con-
tentions. They are:

That \$4,000,000, the estimated value
of lands now used for water
production, has been included
in the valuation of the plant upon
which the rates were based. It is
asked that this amount be elimi-
nated from the valuation.

That the 50-cent meter service
charge imposed upon the small con-
sumers in addition to the charge
for the water itself is unfair to the
consumer and should be included
in the regular rates.

That although time, labor and
money was expended by the munic-
ipalities in arriving at a just valua-
tion of the plant for rating pur-
poses, no such valuation was laid
down as a basis by the State Rail-
road Commission in rendering its
rate decision.

HEARINGS TO BEGIN
NEXT WEEK

The hearings will be commenced
in Oakland early next week. Rail-
road Commissioner Frank R. Dev-
lin announced, and Berkeley and
Alameda are expected to be present.
The hearing is not a rehearing of
the entire case, but a rehearing of
the matter of the meter charge.
The railroad commission will sit
en banc during the hearings. The
President Edwin O. Robertson of the
commission was away on a hearing
today and will not return till the
end of this week or the beginning
of next, when the date for the water
rate hearing will be set, as it is
considered important that he should
be present.

Oakland will be represented at
the hearing by John S. Partridge,
special water rate counsel; Berkeley
by D. M. Greene, also special
counsel; and Alameda by A. F.
St. Sure, city attorney, will represent
Alameda.

The probability that the whole
matter of the conditions of the water
supply will be reopened has been
fanned by which complaints are
being made by residents of various
parts of Oakland, Berkeley and
Richmond will be opened up at the
rate hearing is being considered by
the Railroad Commission, and by
attorneys for Oakland and Berke-
ley. The application is not form-
ally based upon the water famine
conditions, and no argument is for-
mally made that the company has
failed to give service commensurate
with the rates granted for the cur-
rent fiscal year. But it is understood
that this matter may be taken up
directly before the commission after
the hearings have begun.

WILL NOT DIRECTLY
INVOLVE PRESENT PLANS

Reopening of the rate hearing will
not directly involve the plans being
offered by various engineers and
city officials to solve the present
water famine.

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World's Series Baseball Games Delayed by Rain

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—The
first of the world's series base-
ball games between Chicago,
champions of the National
League, and Boston, pennant
winners of the American
League, was called off today
because of a steady rain, which,
falling for hours, showed no
signs of cessation.

In addition, the weather
bureau predicted continuance
of the downpour.

Fair weather is predicted for
tomorrow and the diamond is
being protected by heavy can-
vas. The postponement gives
Boston a day of rest, after a
hurried trip from the East.

JORDAN NOT TO TAKE INITIATIVE ON STATE TICKET

Secretary of State Frank C. Jordan
today announced that he will
not take the initiative of placing
the name of the Democratic candi-
date for governor on the ballot in
the November election, but will
await action. It has been generally
admitted that the Supreme Court
will be the final arbiter. Democratic
leaders in the state will take the
initiative, it is believed.

"There can be no action taken by
the Democratic state central com-
mittee in carrying the question of
the constitutionality of the direct
primary law to the supreme court,"
said Attorney General McNab, "but
the action of the committee on the
primary vote has been com-
pleted. This will probably be some
time after September 15."

HUNS MOWED DOWN BY GUNS OF AMERICANS

By HENRY G. WALES,
International News Service Staff Cor-
respondent.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY
ON THE AISNE-VESE LINE,
Sept. 4.—(By Associated Press.)—
The American army is extremely
active on the Aisne front. The
Jugny line, where, according to
reports, the Huns were worse than
at any time during the four years of
the war.

Franco-American batteries are
successfully silencing the German
gun positions by their record mark-
smanship.

German reinforcements are being
thrown before the Franco-American
forces in large numbers in a vain ef-
fort to check their advance while the
enemy completes a retreating move-
ment.

Along the Vesle the Germans are
preparing to retreat, and the engi-
neers of the army are busy trying
to demolish the Hindenburg
line on an eight-mile front. He
added that the maximum advance
of the British since the drive started
in Picardy and extended northward
was fourteen miles on the Flanders
front.

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was retreating with severe pressure
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virtually blotted out.

The chief of staff pointed out that
the main resistance to the allied
advance all along the line had been
countered by the British on the
Scarpe sector. The rapid French ad-
vance south of the sector, he added,
was largely due to British success
in overcoming this resistance. This
was shown clearly when the French
advanced between six and ten miles
on a 25-mile front in one day south
of the Somme.

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the French along the line of the Ca-
nal du Nord, but the French have
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U. S. TROOPS AT FRONT

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location of various American units,
General March said the 29th divi-
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in process of landing in France.
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of Texas and Oklahoma troops, has
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not been involved in that fighting.

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sick returned to the United States
from the 102nd infantry regiment,
General March said, was 74, of that
number 27 having been sent back
during August. The regiment is
composed largely of Connecticut
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culated that its losses had neces-
sitated virtually the withdrawal of
the regiment and complete reor-
ganization.

German Diver Is
Sunk by British

LONDON, Sept. 4.—Sinking of a
German submarine by a British sub-
marine is reported by the Central
News. The British craft fired two
torpedoes, both effectively. The Ger-
man U-boat sank in fifteen seconds.

1,600,000 IN U.S. OVERSEA ARMY, SAYS GEN. MARCH

Arrival of General Graves in
Siberia With New Force of
Americans Is Announced;
Join Philippine Contingent

CAMBRAI OBJECTIVE
OF CANADIAN DRIVE

Chief of Staff Estimates Ar-
rival of U. S. Fighters in
France in August Exceeded
250,000, Near Record Mark

By ASSOCIATED PRESS.
LEASD WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—General
March announced today that
the total embarkation of American
soldiers for all fronts including the
Siberian expedition, had passed the
1,600,000 mark August 31.

Arrival of Major-General W. S.
Graves and his staff at Vladivostok
to take command of all American
forces fighting on the eastern
front was announced today by
General March.

General Graves took with him
from the United States forty-three
officers and 1385 men, who will
join the regiments from the Phil-
ippines already on the ground.

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vices came from a Chinese wire
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army had crossed the mountain-
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The French advance north of
Soissons, resulting in the capture of
Terny, was participated in by the
22d division, composed of Michi-
gan and Wisconsin troops, under
Major General Haan.

In answer to a question, General
March said that more than 250,000
had landed in France during August. The record
for monthly shipment, he added,
was 285,000.

Taking up the military situation
General March said the object of the
Canadian drive across the old
Quentin-Drocourt switch line was
Cambrai, which was now within 7 1/2
miles of the British advance ac-
cording to official advices.

FOURTEEN MILE CUT
INTO GERMAN LINE

In the action east of Arras Gen-
eral March said the British had
crossed the so-called Hindenburg
line on an eight-mile front. He
added that the maximum advance
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Germans Driven Back by British On Vardar River

By ASSOCIATED PRESS.
LONDON, Sept. 4.—Forces
of the Central powers on the
morning of September 2 at-
tacked the entente allied
troops under cover of an in-
tense bombardment on the left
bank of the Vardar river in
Macedonia. An official state-
ment issued today by the
British war office says the
enemy was driven back by a
counter-attack.

CZECHS TAKE VERKHNEUDINSK; RAPID ADVANCE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Belated
despatches reaching the state de-
partment from Jaroslavl, Siberia,
dated August 31, say the
Bolshevik army east of Lake Bal-
kash has been destroyed by the
Czech-Slovak forces, who are co-
operating with the Czechs and
that all Americans in Siberia are
safe.

By UNITED PRESS.
LEASD WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

VLADIVOSTOK, Sept. 4.—The
western body of the Czech-Slovak
army marching east of Lake Bal-
kash has captured Verkhneudinsk,
formerly the headquarters of the Red
Guards. The Czechs are thirty-three
miles east of Petrovsk, and there is an
unconfirmed report that they have
occupied Chita. They are now
marching on the main column is
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HARBIN, Manchuria, Sept. 4.—
The vanguard of the Czech-Slovak
army, which captured Verkhneud-
insk has effected a junction with
General Semenov's forces on the
Onon river.

From Peking to Vladivostok there
is now an uninterrupted chain of
allied troops.

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 4.—The con-
dition of Nikolai Lenin's president
of the soviet of people's commissaries,
who was shot by a girl several days
ago, was again reported critical in
despatches from Moscow today. The
bullet, which penetrated the upper
part of Lenin's lung, has been re-
moved. The crisis is expected in
three days.

All persons not born in Petrograd
or Moscow have been ordered to
leave the cities. More than 500 per-
sons were arrested in Petrograd on
the night of the assassination of
Utritsky, Bolshevik minister of the
interior, who was shot by a woman
sailor in uniform. The woman was
killed. It was rumored that the perpe-
trator of the outrage had been caught.

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closed immediately and guards sta-
tioned to prevent any persons pass-
ing out without examination. The
name of the mailman reported killed
was Edward Kolkov.

C. W. Drysdale, Noted
Architect, Expires

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—
Charles W. Drysdale, 45, residing at
3838 Clay avenue, was found dead
in his office, 65 New Montgomery
street, shortly after 1 o'clock this
afternoon. Heart failure is sup-
posed to have been the cause.

Drysdale was a prominent figure
in architectural circles, being asso-
ciated with George W. Kelham in
the construction of the Hobart
building, new Palace Hotel, and
other big structures.

Allies on Last Lap
Toward Winning Post

LONDON (via Montreal), Sept. 4.
Paris newspapers today print the fol-
lowing semi-official statement:
"The hour seems close at hand
when the superb efforts of the allies
will begin to bear fruit. One of our
great chiefs said yesterday: 'We are
on the last lap and close to the win-
ning post.'"

Germans Dam Scarpe
and Flood Large Area

LONDON, Sept. 4.—In an effort
to check the advance of the British
and the French, the Germans have dam-
med the Scarpe river and flooded the
country over a considerable area,
according to a despatch from the
British front to the Daily Mail to-
day.

Hun Headquarters
Shifted in Belgium

THE HAGUE, Sept. 4.—The Ger-
man main headquarters have been
transferred from the Spa, Belgium,
to Verviers, in Liege province, Bel-
gium, according to the newspaper Les
Nouvelles.

FOUR DIE IN EXPLOSION; L. W. W. ARE SUSPECTED

Time Bomb, Concealed in Suit
Case, placed at Entrance of
Structure, Scatters Death
and Destruction in Interior

GUILTY PARTIES ARE
CLAIMED IN CUSTODY

Windows in the Surrounding
Buildings Are Shattered;
Scores of Persons in Neighborhood
Injured

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Four persons,
including two women, were killed
and a score were severely injured in
a terrific bomb explosion that rocked
the federal building here late this
afternoon.

The bodies of two men and two
women were received at the Iroquois
hospital.

The explosion is believed to have
been the work of L. W. W. or their
sympathizers, as a protest against
the recent conviction and sentencing
of 100 L. W. W. leaders.

One man at work in a tunnel was
blown to pieces. The shock killed a
horse standing in front of the build-
ing and the force of the explosion
tore a great hole in the solid masonry
of the Adams-street wall. Persons
on the fifth floor of the structure
were thrown from their chairs. The
entrance to the federal building
was wrecked. The police had
reports that a woman, a mail carrier
wearing a uniform was killed. It
was rumored that the perpetrator
of the outrage had been caught.

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British Forces Pass Canal Du Nord and Crowd Hard on Heels of Retreating Enemy

By LOWELL MELLETT,
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, Sept. 4 (11:45
a. m.)—Evidences are piling up that the Germans are retreating from
Wyschaete and Messines ridges.

(These ridges in Flanders, between Ypres and Armentieres, were
the scenes of most of the desperate fighting in the German drive of
last April).

German machine guns are industrious, indicating the intention
of the enemy to hold the canal line, temporarily at least, staving off
the threat against Cambrai.

In the meantime, the British have
taken another 3,000 prisoners from
several points.

General Byng's patrols in Manan-
court (southwest of Cambrai) en-
countered heavy shell fire.

Leicelle is held by the British.
Ypres is reported to be likewise held,
though the German machine gun
line is just beyond the town.

Tadpole Cope, scene of most des-
perate fighting in the last Cambrai
battle, is in British hands.

At least two canal cross-
ings destroyed in the neighborhood
of Inchy-En-Artois (seven miles
west of Cambrai). Four crossings
are still intact there.

HEAVY CASUALTIES
SUFFERED BY FOE

Many Germans were killed north
of Equancourt (between Peronne and
Cambrai) when hordes were seen re-
tiring from a ridge. British bat-
tles fired into them with open
sights.

Early today 720 more prisoners
had been counted. A further ad-
vance southward of the Lys, in Flan-
ders, netted 18 prisoners, six guns
and two howitzers.

LONDON, Sept. 4. (4:22 p. m.)—
Lens is so full of gas that the fire
have as yet only penetrated its nu-
skirts, but the Germans have wholly
evacuated the city, it was learned
here this afternoon.

LONDON, Sept. 4.—The northern
pillar of the German line is seriously
threatened and the Germans are in
full retreat there, says a despatch
from the front today. "Cambrai will
be taken within two days, the des-
patch reads.

The speed of the British advance
continues. The British have reached
La Gache, southwest of Marquien.
The latter town is only five and a half
miles northwest of Cambrai.

CANAL DU NORD IS
PASSED BY BRITISH

The British have crossed the Canal
du Nord at Naut-Aillies, more than
two miles north of Peronne. It was
learned yesterday.

A British armored car is reported
to have entered Marquien, according
to a despatch from a British front to-
day.

Marquien is on the main highway
running from Arras to Cambrai
slightly more than half way between
those two cities.

The British occupy Ecoust-St.
Quentin, Field Marshal Haig an-
nounced today.

"On the battle front minor ac-
tions are reported in different
localities," said Haig.

"We have reached the east part

of the Vaux woods, north of Mols-
lains, and have advanced slightly
at other points. Generally, our
troops have reached the line of the
Canal du Nord and north of the
Arras-Cambrai road have occupied
Ecoust-St. Quentin.

"In the Lys sector further pro-
gress was made by us yesterday
and last night, both south and north
of the river. Our troops are ap-
proaching Neuve Chapelle and La
Vente and have gained possession
of Sully-Sur-La-Lys, Nieppe and
Le Romarin."

(Ecoust-St. Quentin is eight and
one-half miles west by north of
Cambrai, and about fifteen miles
east and slightly south of Arras.)

The British hold Romancourt
(just south of Ecoust-St. Quentin,
eight and a half miles west by north
of Cambrai), it was learned today.

Information from the front today
is that the coal-mining city of Lens
is still mainly in German possession.
The British patrols, however, are re-
ported to be in the western portion
of the town.

(There were widespread reports
yesterday that Lens had been oc-
cupied by the British. These re-
ports emanated from an authorita-
tive source in London and were
generally accepted as correct until
last night's official British com-
munications failed to confirm them.)

GERMANS OWN GAINS
OF ALLIES IN FLANDERS.

By ASSOCIATED PRESS.
LEASD WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

BERLIN, Sept. 4.—(via London)—
British troops operating in the Lys
salient yesterday worked their way
forward as far as the line of Vulver-
ghem, Nieppe, Bac St. Maur, Lavent-
re and Richebourg-St. Vaast, accord-
ing to the statement issued by the
German general staff.

On both sides of Noyon French
troops carried out strong attacks
which were, especially directed
against the high ground between
Campagne and Buissy.

Between the Ailette and the Aisne
rivers the French, in co-operation
with Americans and Italians,
launched renewed attacks after the
strongest fire preparation. They were
repulsed in many instances after bit-
ter hand to hand fighting.

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN
FRANCE, Sept. 4. (by the As-
sociated Press.)—The Germans are
in retreat on the French front east
of the Canal du Nord. French cav-
alry was in pursuit during the night
and this morning had pushed to
within two miles of Guiscard on the
Noyon-Ham road.

By JOHN D. GANDE,
United Press Staff Correspondent.

PARIS, Sept. 4. (4 p. m.)—In the
region of Jumencourt (north of
Soissons) the Chauny-Laon railway
and the Chemin des Dames are
making progress toward Aisne-
le-Chateau, along the Ailette.

General Mangin is reported ad-
vancing along the Paris-Hirson and
Soissons-Aisne railways.

(Operations in the Jumencourt re-
gion and along the two railways
named, which follow the general
lines of the Vesle and the Aisne
rivers are evidently part of the big
flanking maneuver against the Ger-
mans holding the Vesle line and
against the Chemin des Dames pos-
itions.)

AMERICANS, FRENCH
IN COUCY LE CHATEAU.

By UNITED PRESS.
LEASD WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

PARIS, Sept. 4. (10 a. m.)—Gen-
eral Mangin's troops have reached
the edge of the Vauxsillon table land
and are gradually progressing toward
the Chemin des Dames, according to
despatches to the Journal today.

Announcement that Allied detach-
ments along the Vesle front have
crossed the Vesle at several points
and that the French and Americans
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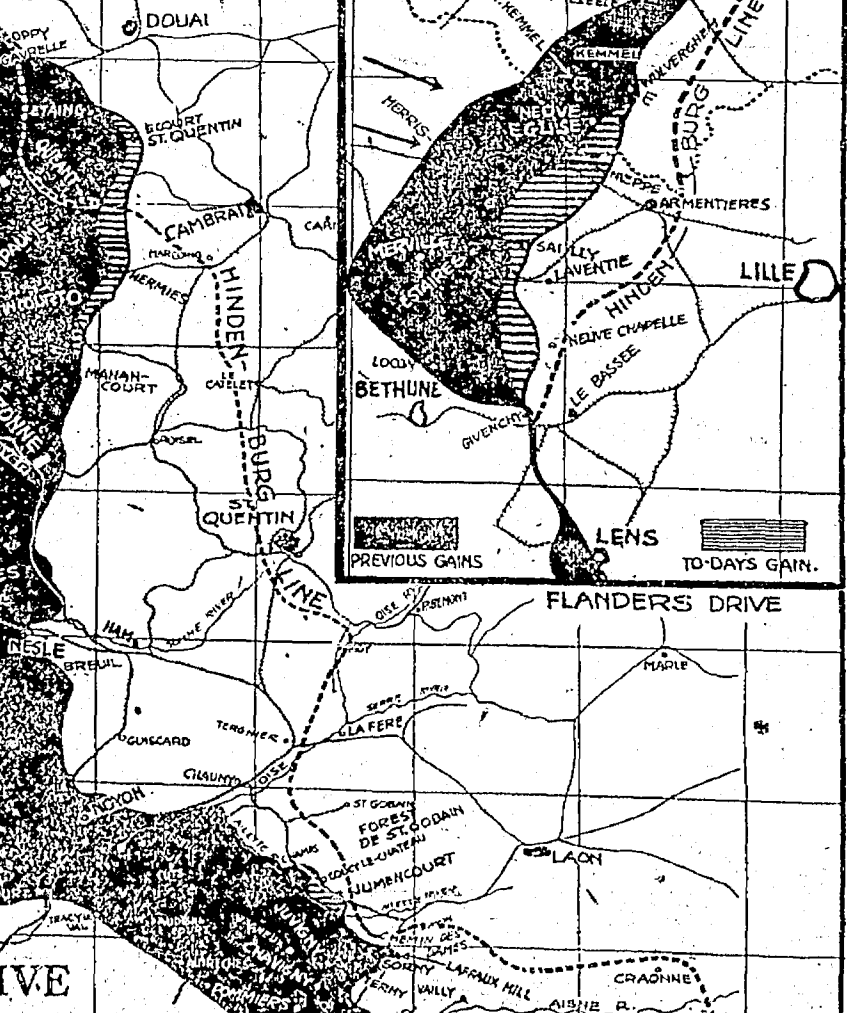
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CHEMIN DES DAMES
YIELDING TO ASSAULT

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By ASSOCIATED PRESS.
LEASD WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

LONDON, Sept. 4. (4:30 p. m.)
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By JOHN D. GANDE,
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and the Chemin des Dames are
making progress toward Aisne-
le-Chateau, along the Ailette.

General Mangin is reported ad-
vancing along the Paris-Hirson and
Soissons-Aisne railways.

(Operations in the Jumencourt re-
gion and along the two railways
named, which follow the general
lines of the Vesle and the Aisne
rivers are evidently part of the big
flanking maneuver against the Ger-
mans holding the Vesle line and
against the Chemin des Dames pos-
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AMERICANS, FRENCH
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By UNITED PRESS.
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PARIS, Sept. 4. (10 a. m.)—Gen-
eral Mangin's troops have reached
the edge of the Vauxsillon table land
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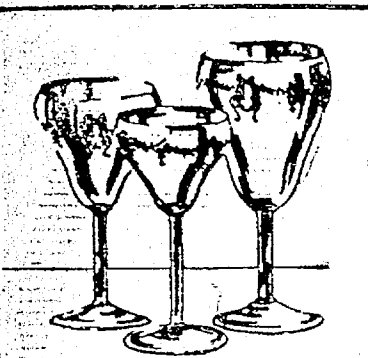
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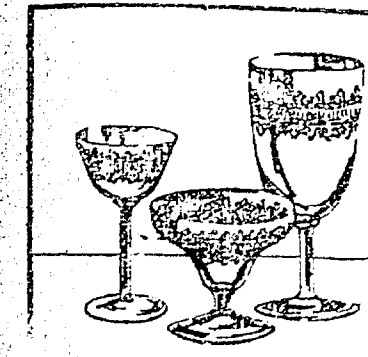
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HARDSHIP OF WAR IN 1914 IS DESCRIBED

Contrasts between the fighting in 1914, when the Germans had ten to one odds in their favor, and that of four years later, were given by Sergeant Carter Buckland, one of the eighteen survivors of the famous Princess Patricia's Light Infantry, in an address at the semi-annual meeting of the Associated War-Savings Societies of Oakland in the club-rooms of the Chamber of Commerce last evening. There was an unusually large representation from the different societies at the meeting. Plans were reported as complete for the war-savings stamp drive from September 9 to October 6.

Sergeant Buckland told of the formation of the Princess Patricia's by Major Hamilton Gault, a Montreal millionaire, at the outbreak of the war. Ninety-five per cent of the men in the regiment had seen previous military service.

When Canada's first contingent of 33,000 men left for France in 1914, many of the men thought they were going to a picnic. They imagined it would be like South Africa, or Indian warfare, or that in the Philippines, but soon they found out differently. They imagined they would have plenty of amusement in France, but again they were mistaken. There were none of the opportunities for recreation and rest afforded by the U. M. C. A. and similar organizations. Every man had to look out for himself.

"When we went into the trenches for the first time it was like a funeral. We were not allowed to talk for fear of attracting the enemy's attention. The trenches were only three feet deep and with a foot of water in the bottom. The Germans tried to keep watch on our movements at night with a lavish use of flares. The use of flares in large quantities is one thing that distinguishes the Germans, as the allies use few flares. Many of the older men were sick right away with rheumatism and trench feet. Whether or not we received our rations depended on the whims of Fritz's artillery, which fired ten shots to our one."

Sergeant Buckland described the first gas attack by the Germans and how it caught the Canadians unawares, with dire result.

REHEARING SET ON WATER RATES
(Continued from Page 1)
grave problem which confronts the Eastbay municipalities in regard to the water famine. Four more or less definite plans have been offered.

One plan, and the one before the State Council of Defense, with a view to deciding whether the water troubles of the Eastbay communities have become so serious as to justify state or federal action to protect the war industries from having their work for the government curtailed by lack of water.

It is suggested that the state or federal government finance a project to bring water from the Sacramento river to the Eastbay cities, and that a preliminary agreement be entered into by which the city of Oakland shall obligate itself to take over this government financed plant when the war emergency is over as a part of a municipal supply and distributing system.

OTHER PLANS FORMED
The second plan is that of the City of Berkeley, which is preparing through eminent domain proceedings, to take over the distributing plant and storage facilities of the water company in Berkeley, with a view to operating this plant municipally, either purchasing a supply wholesale or developing one in the immediate future.

The third plan is that of Mayor John L. Davis, embodied in an ordinance now in process of being made law by the Oakland city council, to create an Oakland public service commission, which is to make an investigation, cause surveys and expert researches to be made, and prepare a plan for public ownership for Oakland. Mayor Davis's plan is avowedly patterned upon that under which Los Angeles carried through the Owens river project.

The fourth plan is that considered advocated by City Manager C. E. Howes of Alameda. It is that the Eastbay cities should contribute to a \$50,000 fund to have surveys and investigations made of the entire water situation and especially concerning the availability of the Hetch Hetchy supply, and the advisability of the Eastbay cities joining immediately with San Francisco to press this project to completion at the earliest possible moment.

The water tangle was taken up by the city council in Alameda last night and Councilman E. J. Probst fathered a motion, which was passed by the council, protesting against the 50-cent meter service charge added to the water rates. Probst said that until the company was in

Shipbuilders to Be Show Guests; Receive Prize

Shipbuilders of the Eastbay region will gather at 10:30 Sunday morning at the T. & D. theater, when a special show will be offered for them, during which presentation will be made of THE TRIBUNE'S trophy, awarded the shipbuilders for their float, best exemplifying the work of a craft to aid the government, seen in the Labor Day parade. The trophy will be accepted by Shipyard Laborers' Union No. 15430. The winning float was a massive affair, on which the actual processes of shipbuilding were shown, real iron being put through the processes by workmen.

The details of distribution of tickets to the shipbuilders and their friends will be announced tomorrow in THE TRIBUNE.

The affair will be one of the biggest days of the year for the shipbuilders.

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a position to supply the needed water, it was unfair to place a meter service charge upon the consumers. Water is again flowing through the supply pipes to the public schools where service of drinking water was shut off more than a week ago following advices from Dr. C. G. Gillespie, State health officer, to the board of education that the water was dangerous to the health of the pupils. A communication was received by the board last evening from Dr. C. G. Gillespie, State health officer, advising that the water is now in condition to be used.

Secretary Dan W. Pratt of the board stated that it cost the department approximately \$400 to turn off the water before the schools opened as the work had to be done by menbers on overtime and on Sunday.

SWALLOWS DRUG AFTER SHOOTING UP THE 'RANCH'

ALAMEDA, Sept. 4.—Swallowing a quantity of lintment after she had fired a pistol, either at herself, her husband, or in a suicidal effort to cause a sensation, Mrs. Sylvia Vicaria of 2320 Encinal avenue is today in a precarious condition and may not recover.

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COMMISSIONS ARE GIVEN U. C. MEN

The office of the adjutant general, through the committee on public information, today announced the roster of men commissioned as second lieutenants of infantry at the Fourth officers' training school, Camp Grant, Illinois. Among them are:

Edward R. Moran, private, University of California, 650 Bush street, San Francisco.
E. S. Rosenthal, private, University of California, 1311 Lyon street, San Francisco.
George S. Stewart, private, University of California, 515 West William street, Stockton, Cal.

City Asked to Take Over Free Market

Request from the directors of the Municipal Free Market that the city take over the market for the remainder of the fiscal year, was filed today. The estimated budget of the cost of operation for the rest of the year is \$3972. The communication, which was signed by Mrs. James Hamilton, Mrs. George Preston and Mrs. Frank Stringham, set forth that from the start two months ago the trial free market has been an unqualified success, although in competition with wholesale produce dealers.

The estimated budget includes the following items and the expenses: Janitor service, \$60; water, \$4; garbage, \$15; telephone, \$7; lights, \$15; incidentals, \$30; supervisor's salary, \$100; secretary's salary, \$75; repairs, \$400. The items are monthly except the repairs, which cover proposed improvements to be made to the building located in Eleventh street, between Webster and Harrison streets.

County Clerk Gross Grateful for Support

County Clerk Gross has issued the following statement:

"Permit me the privilege of expressing through your columns my heartfelt thanks to all who gave me such splendid support at the primary election of Tuesday, August 27.

"My joy in victory is great, but surpassing it is the gratification I feel over the emphatic endorsement the people of Alameda county have thus given my administration of the office of county clerk.

"My efforts have always been directed toward serving the county to the best of my ability and of safeguarding its interests in every way within my power. That the electorate has so heartily testified its approval of my official conduct is a tribute I prize most highly. The people shall again find their trust well placed."

All Citizens Asked To Aid Registration

All city employees have been requested by the city council to report to the city clerk on September 12 for duty as registration officials in the different precincts. It is probable that registration day will be declared a legal holiday, and Mayor Davis, in an open letter to the public today asked that citizens volunteer their services in aiding the registration.

All city election precincts will be used for registration purposes. The election tents will be located at the same places as they were for the primary election of August 27.

3-HOUR CAMPAIGN TO AID RED CROSS

Tomorrow, Oakland Chamber of Commerce will conduct a three-hour campaign to raise \$15,000, the amount needed by the Oakland Chapter Red Cross for the new building to be erected at once on the City Hall plaza.

The building will cost approximately \$25,000. The women of Oakland assumed \$10,000 which they raised through Market Day. The balance will be contributed by Union labor and the business men of Oakland.

Because its present quarters are entirely inadequate to such an extent as to materially impair its efficiency. Because the new building will save approximately \$500 a month rental.

Because Oakland's rapid growth renders it compatible with the best business judgment to secure quarters which will last until the end of the war.

Because by assembling all activities under one roof the spirit of the Red Cross will be stimulated beyond the power of dollars and cents to compute, and

Because Oakland's most prosperous merchants say that the increased business of the Red Cross shop will in

PRETTY GIRLS RIVALS IN COURT OF DEMOCRACY

Many a pretty girl's heart was fluttered at the news contained in the papers, showing the standing of the various candidates for the Court of Democracy, the big pageant of the Pacific Coast Land and Industrial Exposition. Miss Cecil Smith, of course, led, and Miss Pimentel was a close second, but the tale is not all told. There is Italy to reckon with—with her dusky eyed beauties, and Serbia and Belgium and all the rest of the allies and along comes Ireland in the person of Miss Vida Higgins Smith, one of the sweetest blossoms that the old sod ever nurtured.

Here's a bit of news for the candidates—the big Chevrolet car is to be in Jackson's Furniture Store window—he who runs may look and when any young woman of Oakland sees that car—well—there will be more votes and then more pines on the contest manager's desk.

Don't forget, too, that in addition to the honor of presiding over the exposition for twenty-eight days, there are two Liberty Bonds and seven merchandise orders each for \$25 for the girls who win the highest favor.

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CLERK BIDDLE IS DISMISSED FROM OFFICE

Arthur T. Biddle, clerk in department 3 of the superior court, and candidate at the primaries for tax collector, has been given a "permanent leave of absence" by County Clerk George E. Gross and advised "to see the Alameda County Federation in regard to future employment."

In explanation of Biddle's dismissal from the staff of the county clerk Gross said:

"Biddle appeared last night on the platform in company with my opponent and stood for the criticism of myself and my administration of the office. The most serious criticism they made was that I went to Sacramento and worked for legislation increasing the pay of the statutory employees of the county, under which Biddle benefited. He never refuted any charge they made against me, and by his silence endorsed it. If he considers himself aligned with my opponents he should, in my opinion, go to them for his position."

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PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT JUMPS FAST

Increases in school enrollment in the first five days of the school term, far exceeding the estimated increase on which the budget was built and requiring not only additional open-air school-rooms, but at least ten more teachers, were totaled today when Superintendent of Schools Fred Hunter, finished the first week's survey.

From more teachers than the budget calls for will be absolutely imperative. The state law requiring that not more than 50 pupils be placed in a school room must in some cases be daily broken if school service is to be rendered, and more teachers during the middle of the term will in all probability have to be employed.

This means "finding" funds for at least ten and probably fifteen teachers for the year, probably by cutting down improvements and equipment that the funds on hand may last the term.

The ratio of increase in the last five years has ranged from 1800 students in 1911-12 to 2360, but this year's increase totals 26,125 to date with more enrollments due next week, or more than 2900 over the most liberal budget estimate.

The heaviest increase is in the Lafayette school where registration has jumped from \$985 last year to 1174 this year. The Franklin has jumped from 685 to 805, the Claremont from 952 to 1185, and others in varying figures keeping up a heavy general average of increase.

The expansion of industries and the influx of population due to the shipyard workers arriving is held to be the main cause for the increased drain on the school facilities of the city.

"We will get through it," said Superintendent Hunter, "but it will doubtless mean that many improvements must wait."

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4000 Mexicans May Work Here Housing Is Big Problem For U. S.

Conferences today between Mayor John L. Davis and officials of the United States Employment Bureau of the Department of Labor, are to decide whether or not it will be possible to bring to the new Liberty Shipyards some 4000 Mexican laborers, to be employed in construction work.

The main difficulty is in the housing of the men. It would be necessary to erect a large barracks or find some other means of accommodating the new workers, and it is on this subject that the conference was called today at 2 o'clock.

Mexicans would be employed as unskilled laborers, and would relieve a large supply of local labor for other work where it is imperatively needed. Officials of the Employment Bureau have assurance that the men would be available, if the housing conditions can be obtained to care for them in a sanitary way and keep them comfortable while here. There would be several months' work for them, and more than that for a large number.

Housing conditions in the Eastbay district where shipyard workers live is the subject of a conference today between William P. Boyce, United States director of employment for California, Nevada, Utah and Arizona, and labor leaders, including R. W. Burton, president of the Iron Trades Council.

"Conditions to house the men we are bringing from the interior states to work in the Eastbay district is becoming very acute," Director Boyce said today. "Eighty workers who arrived yesterday were given accommodations, but only with the greatest difficulty. I wish to urge upon all loyal citizens, whether the owners or lessees of Eastbay property who can find accommodations for one or more mechanics or laborers employed at the Liberty or other shipyards, to immediately list such vacancies with the Alameda county employment director, George H. Densmore, of Tench and Franklin streets, Oakland."

A complete survey of the entire Eastbay housing problem is being made at the present time by Frederick Ely, examiner for the Department of Labor, under the personal direction of Director Boyce and Director General of Employment John D. Densmore, and a full report will be made to Washington very shortly of his findings. According to Boyce, skilled mechanics are arriving daily to work in the yards of the Eastbay district and the shipbuilding work of the government will be materially affected if immediate steps are not taken to handle this influx of population.

DEFENSE COUNCIL TO DIRECT DRIVES

The state council of defense today assumed jurisdiction over the solicitation of war charity funds in California.

No war charity drive may be conducted without the sanction of the council of defense, and 100 per cent of funds gathered must go to the council. No overhead expenses, salaries, etc., may be deducted from the collections.

Chairman C. C. Moore announced the organization of a war donation and speakers' department of the council of defense to enforce the new rule and to direct the activities of speakers. Jesse H. Schwartz of San Francisco was named chairman of the new committee. The National Red Cross is the only organization over which the state council will not exercise jurisdiction, but a Red Cross drive will be under its direction.

FRESNO DOCTOR HERE.

Dr. T. H. Meux, pioneer Fresno physician, and one of the oldest residents of that city, is a visitor in Oakland today, registered at the Hotel Oakland while here on a brief business trip.

Number Holders Asked to Call

HOLDERS of the following numbered tickets issued at the Labor Day picnic at Idora Park, are requested to call at the office of the County Labor Council, 514 Broadway street, room 104:

19,054, 9712, 3275, 17,716, 11,655, 5065, 7168, 12,547, 12, 352, 7948, 12,946, 12,150, 13,145, 13,146, 7022, 13,147, 17,687, 17,688, 637, 12,938, 3071, 7559, 2045, 17,921, 10,481, 5241, 4300, 4555, 18,091, 7140, 11,539, 10,204, 185, 7538, 139, 4841, 7534, 6789, 6223, 216, 5177, 3271, 4990, 8755, 13,119, 32,700, 7575, 13,248, 13,007, 6721, 7170, 7209, 4299, 12,692, 7177, 13,473, 965, 13,222, 4807, 172, 13,227, 1352, 4295, 8767, 6252, 8992, 6004, 13,179, 8068, 7164, 17,717, 1850, 8870, 11,105, 4556, 8764, 376, 6049, 277, 13,172, 7559, 927, 5665, 5351, 9730, 17,739, 6242, 4903, 13,160, 7975, 5315, 4628.

County Mills Club To Meet Tomorrow

The Mills Club of Alameda county will meet at the Elbel club house, 1410 Bay street, in Oakland, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The business session will last half an hour and at 2:30 the guests will be received.

VOLUNTEERS FOR SERVICE

James W. Pearson of Oakland and two visitors, Fred C. Brown and J. W. North, St. Louis, accompanied by Bert Hutchinson.

BIG TRUCKS GIVEN TOUR TO YOSEMITE

By EDMUND CRINNIN.

Additional impetus was given to entries in the coming Yosemite tour by the statements given out yesterday by the western representatives of the Fuel and Automobile Trade Association, denying all published Pro-German rumors relative to a supposed gasoline shortage and an alleged ban on the use of automobiles on Sunday. The Fuel Administration representatives characterized as ridiculous the statement that the government would frown on the use of cars for Sunday trips, and stated that the gasoline supply was well above the requirements, and in fact the immense supply of gasoline now in storage was a worry to all on account of vaporization. In addition to the immense supply of gasoline now on hand on the coast it was stated that more gasoline was produced every day through the fact that before fuel oil for the allied warships it was necessary to extract the gasoline from it.

Immediately following the statements given out by the Fuel Administration on Sunday, the tour began to flow in, and among the first was J. W. Leavitt of San Francisco, who entered his famous Oldsmobile "Camel," and B. C. Jones of the Motor Sales Company, who listed one of the new Oldsmobile Eight models for the run. Oakland Manager Model of the Chevrolet touring car in a dark color, and a new Chevrolet car, the new Chevrolet car, Harold D. Knudsen entered his Willys Knight eight for the run and Manager Gray of the West Coast Company placed one of the new Maxwell cars in the list.

J. P. O'Connell of San Francisco listed for the event his Cadillac and Chevrolet. O'Connell signed up with his Dodge Brothers touring car. There will be three or more Buick cars in the caravan, one of them driven by Robert W. Martland, carrying the members of the San Francisco newspapers, and the others will be driven by Frank Mayers and N. Lehman, Oakland Manager of the Ford Motor Co. Robert W. Martland will drive his Chandler Six touring car and carry officials of the Automobile Trades Association.

The San Francisco Examiner will be represented by an Oldsmobile car and San Francisco Chronicle by a Buick Six. Additional entries are coming in rapidly and the writer requests of all that are contemplating entering the tour as participants to register their names as soon as possible so that all reservations can be made without undue inconvenience at the various hotels en route. The tour will be arranged special rates for the occasion.

There is at present a well developed plan among some of the party for a fishing expedition to Lake Merced, and the party will leave San Francisco on Tuesday morning and then starting for Oakland in time to arrive here Tuesday night. Lake Merced is one of the very best fishing spots in the state at the present time where even the amateur fisherman is assured of a limit catch.

Other tour participants anxious to return to business on Monday morning early will drive home on Monday over the Big Oak Flat road and others will follow J. W. Leavitt's lead and take in the Valley on Monday morning, leaving from the Yosemite Valley. Foster Curry, stentor of the Yosemite, has arranged a special entertainment for the party on Sunday evening.

At Merced the tour party will be supplemented by the arrival of many of the cars that are spending the week at the Sacramento State Fair and also many members of the State Automobile Trades Association from the valley towns and from the southland.

The tour promises to be one of the biggest successes of all TRISTEYE tours, and the schedule is so arranged that it will prove a very easy one for all concerned and those taking part will have few complaints of any kind. The members of the Valley without the physical fatigue that so generally follows the average tour to the valley that is not arranged along the lines of least resistance like the coming event.

Even the drivers taking part will enjoy the trip for there will be absolutely nothing for them to worry about. The roads will be marked and the time schedule is carefully figured ahead for them and all arrangements for accommodations will be made ahead and special rates will be an added inducement. All motorists are invited. All that is necessary in order to register your interest with the writer at THE TRIBUNE office.

PRESIDENT IS ASKED TO PAY OAKLAND CALL

President Woodrow Wilson will be the guest of Oakland during his coast trip in the interest of the next Liberty Bond drive, if plans of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce are successful. The Chamber today urged Senator James D. Phelan, urging that he extend Oakland's invitation to the nation's executive to spend a day in this city. Plans for his reception and entertainment will be rushed to completion at once.

The wire to Senator Phelan was despatched today following official confirmation of the news that the President was to visit the coast in his trip for the new bond issue. The President's visit is conceded to be the greatest possible aid in the coming drive, and it is expected that his presence here will insure this city's going "over the top" even more successfully than at the last drive.

Pending an answer from Senator Phelan the office of the Chamber will at once proceed to organize committees and set preparations under way.

AUTO AND CAR COLLIDE

A collision between an automobile driven by Louis Lazarus, traveling salesman of 336 Thirteenth street, and a Fifty-fifth avenue street car, occurred at Thirteenth and Franklin streets today. Lazarus tried to pass between the street car and a stationary automobile. His machine collided with the front steps of the car which were knocked off. Lazarus' automobile was slightly damaged.

THIS IS THE AGE OF YOUTH

Strands of Gray Hair May Be Removed.

Strands of gray hair are unattractive and very unnecessary and accelerate the appearance of approaching age. Why not remove all traces of gray in the hair and possess even shiny, beautiful dark hair in bounteous quantities the year around? "La Creole" Hair Dressing. Used by thousands of people every day—everywhere—with perfect satisfaction. It is a preparation made with gray hair—hair streaked with gray, diseased scalp or dandruff when offered a preparation such as "La Creole" Hair Dressing. Apply it freely to scalp and hair, rubbing it in well, and after few applications the hair will be delightfully surprised with the results.

"LA CREOLE" HAIR DRESSING
For gray or faded hair and the appearance of youth. Used by gentlemen in every walk of life to restore an even color to their gray hair, beard or mustache. For sale by "The Owl Drug Company's Stores and all good drug stores everywhere. Mail orders from out of town customers filled promptly upon receipt of regular price. \$1.20 a bottle. "La Creole" Hair Dressing is sold on a money-back guarantee.—Advertisement.

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Arrow Collars 25c value, all sizes, good staple shapes 10c	MEN'S DRESS SOX Silk finish, 20c value, all sizes 12c LADIES' HOSE — 500 pairs 25c ladies' black lisle finish hose 10c	J. P. Coats' Cotton 7 Spools 25c
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MEN'S POLICE AND FIREMAN Suspenders on sale special 19c	MEN'S FLEECE LINED UNION SUITS , a good, heavy, ribbed garment, Rex Tex Brand, all sizes, \$2.50 value \$1.59	CANVAS GLOVES , a well-made glove, with plain or knit wrist, while they last. 12c	CHILDREN'S PLAY SUITS of good quality denim in blue and white stripe and brown, while they last. 98c
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LADIES' MUSLIN SKIRTS , fancy embroidery trim, of, 79c 75c LADIES' KNIT BLOOMERS , well made, sale price, 59c LADIES' RIBBED UNION SUITS , knit to fit, well made, 59c	Store Closed Saturday until 5:30 p. m. on account of holiday; open at 5:30 p. m. to 10 p. m. with bigger and better prices than ever.	MEN'S OVERALLS , of good quality blue denim, with belt, \$1.95 LADIES' BLACK SATIN SKIRTS , extra heavy satin, \$2.00 value, \$1.49 MEN'S ROUGHNECK SWEATERS , a heavy weight garment, with 2 pockets, \$1.59
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Men's Suits A dandy assortment of good patterns and styles from America's finest workshops \$9.85 up on sale at....	Ladies' Millinery Our new Millinery Department offers extra specials in the latest styles and shapes. Hats priced from \$1.95 to \$5.95
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GROCERIES at the Lowest Prices in Oakland Ghirardelli's Chocolate, 1-pound can 25c Booth's Sardines 17c Log Cabin Tomatoes, with puree, a 2 1/2 tin 10c Great Western Soap, 7 bars 25c Crystal White Soap, bar 5 1/2c Hebe 9 1/2c Karo Syrup 15c Naphtha, Lenox or White Borax Soap 5c Snow White Toilet Paper, 7 rolls 25c Campbell's Soups 10c Domino Matches 6c Libby's Deviled Meat 5c Sea Foam Washing Powder 5c Del Monte Tomato Sauce 7c	TOBACCO Main Floor A Complete Assortment at Lowest Prices Owl Lipschutes 44 Cigars 5c New Bachelors Cigarettes 12 1/2c Chesterfields Lucky Strike Cigarettes 12 1/2c Velvet Tobacco 12 1/2c Del Monte Mixture, in tins 9c Prince Albert, 16 ounce \$1.19 Pedro, 14 ounce, Lunch Boxes 75c Union Commander, 12 ounce 43c
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MEN'S TENNIS SHOES , extra quality canvas, good rubber soles, 59c	BOYS' SHOES , just the thing for school, sizes 9 to 13 1/2, 98c	MEN'S SCOUT SHOES , heavy chrome leather, genuine mak sole, \$2.98	MEN'S ENGLISH DRESS SHOES , a good \$5.00 value, \$3.95
Men's Work Shoes , in tau and black, a \$4.00 value \$2.98	Men's Florsheim Low Cuts , to be closed out at \$3.95	Big Saving on Men's and Boys' RUBBER BOOTS	Kreider's factory damaged Children's Shoes , values to \$4.00 \$1.98
Boys' Extra Quality High Top Boots \$3 45			

'Limited' Sale Continues

The quality of the goods on sale is so high, and the prices so low it has been necessary to place a limit on the sale of every item.

Tomorrow and Friday They've passed the limit today.

Be here early tomorrow if you want these or other equally interesting bargains.

Fall Opening
of high grade
Millinery
now going on

Don't forget that you are invited to see the new Fall hats now displayed in all their loveliness on our Second Floor.

You can't need to purchase if you can resist doing so when you see them. Look around and then you'll know the values to be found here in hats of all styles for all occasions.

You can't buy an unbecoming hat in this store.

Corsets \$1.75
Values in such well known corsets as Royal Worcester, W. B. C-B, a la Spirite, Miller and Warner. Discontinued models in girdle, medium and high bust styles, with medium and long hips, and elastic tops. Some have elastic insets in front. Sizes 18 to 36. Some have been double the price. (One to a customer.)

Waists \$1.19
In this lot are voiles with lace trimmed collars—stripe and cross-bar waists with organdie collars, and high necked tailored waists of light weight striped madras. Sizes 34 to 46, in colors and white. (Limit of 2 to a customer.)

Children's Dresses 75c
Girls from four to twelve may be fitted in these prettily trimmed, percale and chambray dresses. Choice of plaid, stripe, figured or plain colors. (Not over 2 to a customer.)

Men's Silk Sox
All silk, in black, white, tan and gray. These are seconds of the regular 65c Sox, and are excellent value at the price—3 pairs for \$1. (Not over 6 pairs to a customer.)

Union Suits
Women's white cotton union suits, low necked, sleeveless—special at .35c. Pink, Swiss ribbed union suits, low neck, sleeveless, hand top 95c. (Not over 2 each to a customer.)

All-Over Aprons 75c
Medium and light colored percale aprons, neatly trimmed with white. (Two to a customer.)

able goods not exchangeable. We carry small parcels.

Black Satin and Taffeta \$1.19 yd
Yard wide satin and chiffon taffeta, very specially priced. (Limit 10 yds. ea. to a customer.)

Blue Satin \$1.89
Imperial satin, 40-in. width, in midnight and navy blue only. (Limit of 5 yards to a customer.)

Broadcloth \$2.95
All wool chiffon broadcloth, 56 inch, in navy, black and seal. (Limit of 5 yards to a customer.)

Cotton Goods clearance (downstairs)
Floral Lawns—in pretty figured and striped effects. 36 and 40-inch widths, in good grade lawn, priced for clearance at 15c (Limit of 12 yards to a customer.)

Muslin, yard wide bleached muslin, priced unusually low, at 19c (Limit of 10 yards to a customer.)

Dotted Swiss—yard-wide curtain swiss in eight different patterns, only 19c (Limit of 10 yards to a customer.)

Dress Gingham in charming plaid, stripe and check patterns, in a variety of colors. A buy at 22c (Limit of 12 yards to a customer.)

Cretonne—just 1600 yards of it, and in such pretty patterns it won't last long. Yard wide, priced 25c (Limit of 12 yards to a customer.)

English Nainsook—extra fine, sheer grade. Makes lovely underwear. Now 25c (Limit of 12 yards to a customer.)

Crepe de Chine—silk and cotton mixed. In 26 shades, including evening tones. Remarkable values—38-inch width, priced 35c. (Limit 10 yards to a customer.)

Outing Flannel in plain white and fancy stripes. Note the width—one yard—and the price, 38c (Limit 12 yards to a customer.)

Household Bargains, too!

Sheets—"Dormez" make, Size 72x90, each \$1.75 Same, 81x90, each \$1.89 (Limit of 6 each to a customer.)

Sheeting—9-1 width, full bleached, for making sheets at home 58c yd. (Limit 10 yards to a customer.)

Pillow cases—"Pavonia" make—45x36, each 35c Same size, "Hiawatha," each 39c (Limit 10 each to a customer.)

All wool plaid blankets at great savings. Special \$7.50 pair (Limit 1 pair to a customer.)

Plaid cotton blankets with wool nap. Double bed size \$3.95 pair (Limit 2 pairs to a customer.)

Bed spreads of satin Marcellines, double bed size. Slight imperfections. Special 39c (Limit of 2 to a customer.)

We give 2x4 green trading stamps.

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13th and Washington, Oakland

COUNTY TAX RATE 24 CENTS HIGHER

Adding the special local taxes to the inside rate for the county, as fixed by the board of supervisors, the total new rate for the eight principal municipalities of the county are as follows:

Oakland 2.06
Berkeley 2.07
Alameda 2.08
Piedmont 1.96
Emeryville 1.84
Albany 1.87
Hayward 1.87
San Leandro 2.05

The general county, or "inside" rate, is \$1.22, an increase of 24 cents over last year. Piedmont, Albany and Emeryville are assessed an extra 5 cents for the county free library.

The principal elements contributing to the increase are: Two general elections, the increased demand by the county employees, the new hospital, increased educational requirements, general advance in costs of all materials and supplies.

The taxable values of the county, according to Assessor Kelley's returns, are \$2,000,000 above those of last year. Due to the fact that a great amount of waterfront is under government control and not subject to taxation, the gain would have been much greater, but in amount as to equalize the rate, at least to a degree. As it is, the great shipbuilding industry, by reason of being impressed into government service, does not share to the full in the tax burden, although contributing to the prosperity that will make the rate less burdensome.

The total revenue to be realized by the county, at the rate of \$1.22 will be \$2,400,000, as against \$2,250,000 last year. The general rate is made up of the following separate items:

Salary fund \$1.14
County general fund581
County school fund27
High school fund19
Advertising fund008
Exposition fund005
Forestry fund601
Bond interest and redemption fund for county indebtedness025

Total **\$1.32**

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Your druggist carries Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap. 7-22-18.

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The reason Vinol proved such a wonderful strength-giver to Mrs. Gray's case is because of the beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptones and glycerophosphates combined in a pure, native tonic wine, which makes Vinol the most successful tonic. The Owl Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.—Advertisement.

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A new book, telling how to become thin in a pleasant, safe, easy way, and remain pleasantly slender, "viciously, miserably, is titled, "Reduce Weight Happily." Will be sent free, in plain wrapper, on request to Koren Co., 2000 S. Street, San Francisco, Cal. Improve your health, figure, complexion and win success! Lose 10 to 60 pounds.—Advertisement.

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ake advantage of the won-
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Cut on latest fashion lines and

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Cut on latest fashion lines and made of fine, soft quality of muslin. Prettily trimmed with lace or embroidery. Regular 98c and \$1.12 values.

\$1.25

Silk Camisoles

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In pink only. Of fine quality trimmed with lace.

Good Corsets for

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Made on latest style lines of strong white twill fabric with four horizontal supporters. Medium and low bust model with long hip.

Women's

Knit Vests

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Women's
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Regular 25c values. Made of soft medium weight cotton, elasticated, durable. Low neck and sleeveless styles with plain or Swiss rib.

81x90 Sheets
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Unusual Value! Extra heavy quality with welded center seam. Rare bargain in these days as women will admit. Shop early for these

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Regular 25c values. Made of soft medium weight cotton, elastic and durable. Low neck and sleeveless styles with plain or Swiss rib.

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Double-bed size and good durability.

5 Piece Cases 29

Size 45x36. Made of good durable muslin, cut the right way of the material to prevent ripping.

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Double-bed size and good durable quality.

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Towels

At Bargain Prices

Made with hemmed ends and neat borders. A few imperfect that do not interfere with the wearing quality.

Size 17x30.....	14c
Size 20x40.....	19c
Size 20x40.....	29c

Turkish Towels 19

Comforters

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Made with hemmed ends and no red borders. A few imperfects that do not interfere with the wearing quality.

Size 17x30.....	14c
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Turkish Towels, 19c

Hand or face towel size. Good weight. All white with hemmed ends.

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Heavy Bath Towels, all white with hemmed ends. Six to 20x40.

36-in. Skirtings 17c yd

Less Than Half Price

In this lot are gubarlines, be suitings and cotton pongees in a assortment of patterns and colors.

Mill-ends of Cotton Challies, 19c yard

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Mill-ends of Cotton
Challies, 19c yard
Good weight fabrics in pretty pat-
terns. Very appropriate for lin-
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Mill Lengths of
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Ten to 20-yard lengths. Very
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THE WATER SITUATION.

THE TRIBUNE will begin tomorrow the publication of a series of articles regarding the condition of the water supply in the Eastbay district. The situation is unquestionably gravely serious and raises questions of tremendous importance to the people of the Eastbay cities.

Now that the election is over and the water question is out of politics, THE TRIBUNE believes the time opportune to present the cold, naked facts, as far as it is possible to obtain them, for the information of the people. It will make the information as complete and intelligible as possible.

That there is a scarcity of water now is a patent fact. That the various explanations of this condition do not coincide is apparent from a brief comparison of the excuses and claims that have been advanced.

THE TRIBUNE proposes to print information as to the water requirements of this district; as to the available supply and the capacity of the resources now under control for furnishing water to the people. It proposes to ascertain as far as is possible the future requirements of the Eastbay district and the degree of adequacy or inadequacy of present resources to meet those requirements. It will try to find out the reasons for failure to begin at an earlier date expansion of the water supply and the reasons, if any can be given, for the obviously false assurances that the present water supply would be ample.

THE TRIBUNE hopes to obtain information which will enable the people to form a correct judgment as to what is necessary to be done to provide the Eastbay communities with an adequate water supply at the earliest practicable moment.

Obviously something, besides discussion of methods of procedure is needed. The growth and prosperity of the Eastbay district is involved inextricably in an adequate supply of water. The residents of the districts should be given full and frank information for their guidance.

The situation as it actually exists will be described in the series of articles to begin in tomorrow's TRIBUNE. After the recital is completed it is hoped the people will be better informed as to what is necessary to insure an adequate water supply.

NEW HOSPITAL ASSURED.

The county board of supervisors yesterday earned bountiful public praise by their action in including in the annual budget an item of \$300,000 for the construction of the first unit of a new county hospital. The new hospital is to be erected on the county-owned site of the old California college at Fourteenth avenue and Twenty-ninth street. In providing the funds for this essential public improvement, the supervisors have carried out the wishes of the majority of the voters at the bond election several months ago. The majority vote on the hospital proposition was in favor of the bonds, but due to a technical ruling of the district attorney the judgment of the voters was not carried out.

The new hospital will be built on the bungalow plan, adopted by the War Department for military cantonments, and a unit of about 250 beds capacity may be constructed with the \$300,000 allowed. It is proposed to rush the work and have the new hospital ready for public use within six months. A word of commendation is also due the County Institutions' Committee for its earnest study of the hospital problem and the effective manner in which it has presented the question of a new hospital. No time should be lost in giving the county the new facilities.

They are badly needed now and the demand is growing with the daily increase in population.

A NEW DEMOCRATIC NATION.

In recognizing the Czech-Slovak nation as a de facto government the United States has cordially welcomed the confederation of the oppressed peoples of Austria-Hungary and Germany into the family of great nations as an independent entity. France, Great Britain and Italy have already recognized the Czech-Slovaks and the United States affirms its intention to accord them the fullest consideration due a friendly nation and an ally in a state of belligerence with the German and Austro-Hungarian empires. This country is prepared to enter into relations with the Czech-Slovak national council for the purpose of prosecuting the war against the common enemy of the Allies peoples.

The new nation which has recently come into existence will, if perpetuated, end forever the world menace of the Pan-German conspiracy. Its territories will include Bohemia in Germany and Austria and large sections of the Balkan countries now dominated by the Hapsburg monarchy. It will form a barrier to the grandiose dreams of "Mitteleuropa" and call a halt to the Potsdam policy of *Drang nach Osten*.

If the aspirations of the Czech-Slovak national council are realized the Balkan confederation is assured. Complete solidarity of the Czech-Slovaks and the Jugo-Slavs of Austria-Hungary and the peoples of Serbia, Montenegro and Rumania will be built upon a firm and, it is to be hoped, an indestructible foundation.

All these peoples oppressed by the Germans and Magyars have paid the full price of national independence in services to freedom. They have demonstrated their capacity for independent existence by surviving in all their nationalistic aspirations through campaign after campaign of annihilation. Against Clam-Martini, Czernin, Von Seydler and against the Austro-German intrigue with the Bolsheviks at Brest-Litovsk, the Czech-Slovaks have remained united. Royal decrees branding them as traitors and punishing them as such have only served to stir them to greater efforts toward freedom.

What will be the territorial boundaries of the new Czech-Slovak nation is not now easy to ascertain. But the essential fact is that they are rendering valiant service in the war against the central powers. They have organized forces in Russia opposing the agents of Germany. They have rightly conceived that the first purpose necessary of accomplishment is decisive victory for the entente allies.

After that the limitation of Czech-Slovak territory will be established. It will necessitate the re-mapping of Central Europe, for Austria-Hungary must restore the lands of these people she has forcibly seized and brutally misruled.

Through the intelligent liberality of the supervisors in adopting the budget for the school administration, Alameda county will not be under the necessity of abandoning any part of its program of educational work on account of lack of funds. The supervisors have approved Superintendent Hunter's estimate for the Oakland School Department, which contemplates increase in the salary of teachers and provision for an increase in school population. A general increase in funds has also been allowed other school departments in the county. The supervisors have wisely taken the attitude that the war shall cause no loss in educational efficiency.

Though in this immediate vicinity it may not be considered an opportune time to spring such news, what is claimed to be a scientific theory is advanced that the earth is losing its moisture. The particulars of the theory are that the action of electrical discharges in decomposing water vapor, is responsible, as well as the action of the violet rays of the sun "which fall upon the water vapor suspended in the lower strata of the earth's atmosphere, decomposing a small part of it to produce hydrogen." Which may be alarming to the non-scientific mind, but it is not over clear. And it seems a very long way to go to horror trouble.

WATER POWER CONTROL.

Both Secretary Baker of the War Department and Chairman Baruch of the War Industries Board urged before the House committee on interstate commerce the prompt enactment of the Sims water power bill, which gives the President authority during the war to take over and enlarge water power plants. The chief object is to speed up the production of munitions and the material for the construction of shipping. Water power is largely used for the generation of electricity at the Bethlehem works and various steel-making plants, but there is special need of enlarging their capacity without delay.

Secretary Baker told the committee that the private concerns were reluctant to enlarge their works or unable to do so on account of the extra cost at this time and the liability of having more than could be used when the war demand is over. It is a question, he said, of having the government pay to the power companies the difference between the cost now and the value when the war is over. There seems to be more than that to it. The immediate purpose is evidently for the government to have the work done and to pay for it, and to be remunerated when the control is turned back to the companies, to the extent of the actual added value. That is an uncertain consideration, but it appears to be left, in the provisions of the bill, to the discretion of the President to retain the control indefinitely, even permanently. When asked by a member of the committee if he did not think it might be construed as giving the government the right to permanent ownership, if the President saw fit, the secretary agreed that it did, and expressed the belief that it ought to be left to the discretion of the President. The argument in favor of authorizing the control during the war, for the purpose of the increased capacity is a strong one, but that of ownership or permanent control should surely be left for future consideration and decision.

NOTES and COMMENT

The Stanislaus Sheriff who was defeated at the primaries was the hardest loser yet. He shot a man dead. Perhaps they often feel that way, but that is different from doing it.

What seems to be needed is not a sensational and non-sensational campaign characterized by reckless assertions as to profiteering in food stuffs, but a thorough and impartial investigation as to whether the discrepancy between what the producer receives and what the consumer pays is the result of legitimate merchandising.

The most interesting story of a slacker round-up is that which comes from a local bathing beach. It demonstrates that the authorities are wise to all the ruses that have been thought up by the slacker to get past.

The Austrian prisoner who said, "We have God, but the allies have America," should claim all of his assets. His side also has the Kaiser.

The Cologne Volks Zeitung declares that its countrymen do not see human beings and Christians the savagery that have characterized the Hun's war methods, but exults in them as Germans. It does not need to be pointed out that its countrymen are functioning in this war as Germans.

People are urged by the War Industries Board to buy useful articles. It is gratuitous at this time to give the average person advice of this kind. His proclivities are very largely controlled by his limitations.

The Huns as they cross their line in retreat should keep right on with their tactics of destroying property and of devastation. They will thus show their country how really efficient they are in this direction.

The Frankfurt Gazette confesses that there was a mistake about the possibility of American troops being ferried over; also about what they would do when they arrived, and warns the Kaiser that it is time to throw up hands and shout "Kamerad!" That paper doesn't seem to doubt that these tactics would be entirely effective.

Labor as it marched on Monday last in almost endless procession would have given the Kaiser two impressions could he have beheld it: Those of the solidarity and patriotism of Americans. It would have caused him to wonder how he could have got the impression that opinion was divided here as to what was our duty over there.

Director-General McAdoo has notified all railroad men to eschew politics. He has made it as easy for them as possible in this state by delivering the notice till after the primaries.

Spain has at last taken action. Even the amiable Spaniard could not stand the Hun way of agreeing to call off the submarines and going out the same day and sinking his ships.

SPIRIT OF THE STATE PRESS

A new shipbuilding plant is to be erected in Benken on the site of the old Delaney shipyard which disappeared four years ago, by C. M. Prince, who has leased the property from the owners, W. L. Crooks and Sidney Frame, with an option to purchase it. Experienced shipbuilders are interested in the project with Prince. The plant will be small to begin with, but will be enlarged with success.—San Joaquin County Courier.

An ample cultivation of cotton in the valley will entail the building of cotton factories in the city; the making of cloth will in turn entail the manufacture of cloth into clothing; thus there will be lots of industry and lots of wages and profits between the state and the finish.—Sacramento Union.

Thomas Benton Howard, whose father was the founder of the Ukiah Baptist church, died Thursday at his farm in Ukiah valley, Mendocino county. He was born in Missouri in 1852 and came to California when a lad of 6 years with his father, the late Rev. W. M. Howard. The funeral services were held Saturday in the Baptist church of Ukiah, of which his father was the first pastor.—Santa Rosa Republican.

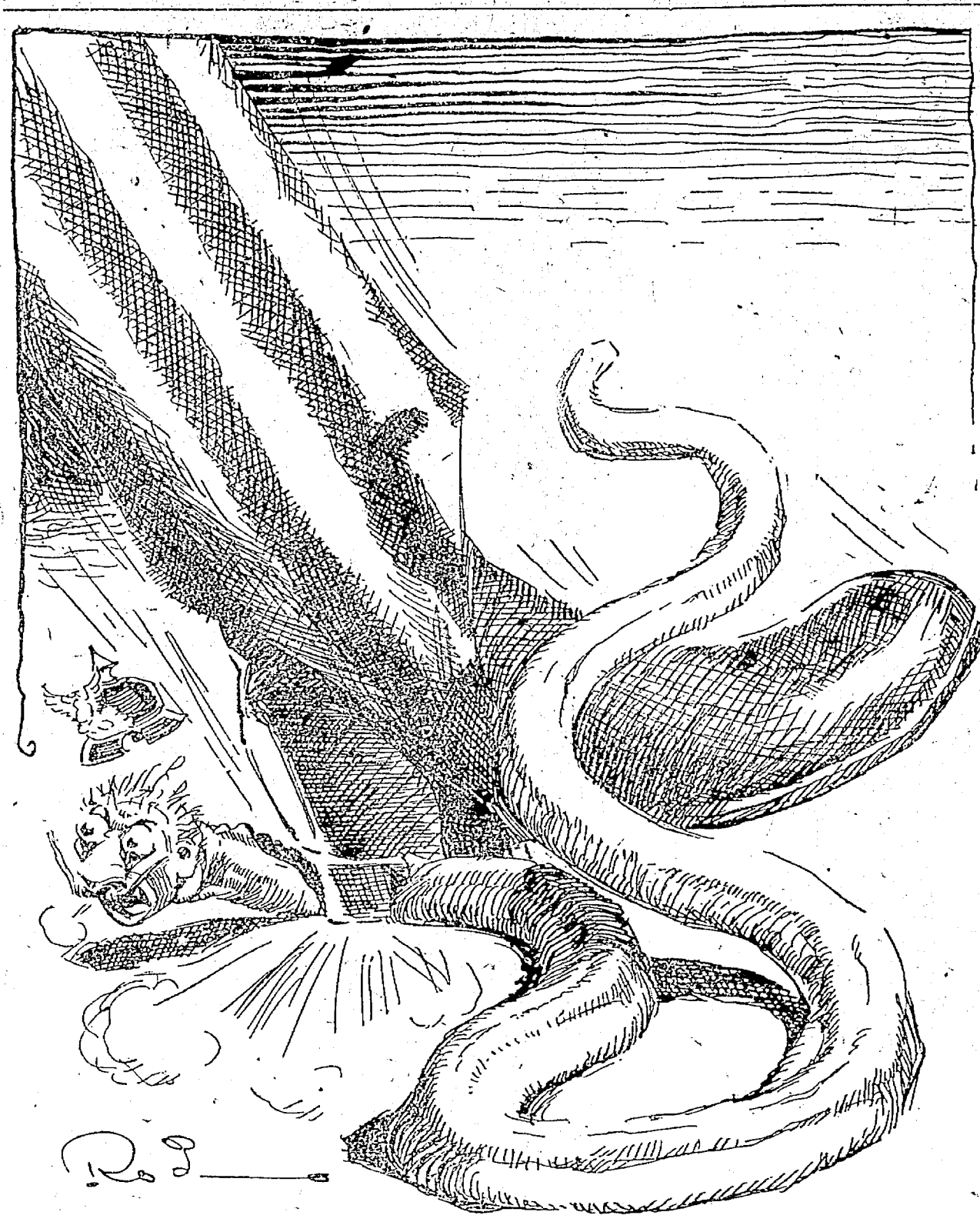
There will be no interference with highway work in Butte county that is now under way according to a statement made by members of the State Highway Commission. The commission has not been advised of any orders from D. M. Folsom, federal oil administrator for this state, calling for the suspension of road construction, and until these are received there will be no halt in the program.—Oroville Register.

The splendid patriotism of the farmers of the South San Joaquin irrigation district who have so cheerfully accepted the plan of County Food Administrator J. M. Bigger for distribution of water cannot be too strongly commended. In order to aid in food production Mr. Bigger has recommended that the most needed crops be given priority in the furnishing of water for irrigating. The order of priority follows: Beans, first; corn, second; alfalfa, third; grapes and vines, fourth. Farmers have readily acquiesced in the plan, many of them knowing that it meant personal loss to them but realizing that Uncle Sam's most urgent needs must be given first consideration. This truly is self-sacrifice, the spirit of the hour in America.—Stockton Record.

THIS DAY IN THE WAR

Sept. 4, 1917—Russian retreatment on Rika river continues.
Sept. 4, 1916—Greek government accepts demands of entente.
Sept. 4, 1915—Germans closing in about Riga.
Sept. 4, 1914—Germany starts war on fishing boats by sinking 15 in the North Sea.

A WAR SAVING STAMP



—By Rod Kendrick, formerly of The TRIBUNE art staff and now with an Eastern aircraft factory.

WEATHER REPORT

Forecast.
Oakland and vicinity: Generally cloudy or foggy tonight and Thursday; gentle southwesterly winds.
Northern and Southern California: Tonight and Thursday fair, except cloudy or foggy near the coast to night and in the morning; gentle westerly winds.
Sacramento valley: Fair; gentle southerly winds.
Santa Clara valley: Tonight cloudy; Thursday fair; gentle northwesterly winds.
San Joaquin valley: Fair; gentle northwesterly winds.
Nevada and Idaho: Fair.
Washington and Oregon: Fair; gentle northeasterly winds.

Conditions.
A large shallow depression overlies the southern portion of the country, extending from California eastward to the Mississippi valley. It has caused general rain from Utah and Arizona eastward to the Allegheny mountains, with cloudy or foggy weather along the California coast. Over the northern portions of the country the weather is fair. It is cooler in the southern plains states, but in other sections the temperature changes have been slight.
Conditions are favorable for fair weather in this district except generally cloudy or foggy weather along the California coast.
G. H. WILLSON, Forecaster.

Temperatures.		High Low		High Low	
Baker	74	42	Reno	50	32
Dobson	73	52	Roseburg	58	52
Calgary	70	36	Rosewell	58	58
Dutch Hbr.	44	34	Sac'to	74	56
Edmonton	66	38	San Diego	74	62
Eureka	64	56	San Fran.	62	58
Flagstaff	68	46	San Jose	74	51
Fresno	92	60	San Luis O	74	58
Helena	62	34	Seattle	59	56
Honolulu	84	74	Sitka	58	51
Los Ang.	76	60	Spokane	74	50
Marshall	64	50	Stockton	58	48
Mt. Tam.	63	46	Swift Cur.	68	44
Needles	108	72	Tacoma	73	54
Nome	52	46	Tanana	60	49
N. Yalinda	84	44	Tatoula	58	52
Oakland	63	57	Tonopah	73	58
Phoenix	90	74	Trianglo Is.	58	56
Pocatello	74	52	Valdez	52	44
Port Reyes	58	52	Walla Wa.	78	52
Portland	86	60	Winnem.	64	52
Pr. Albert	55	44	Winipeg	52	36
Pr. Rupert	68	44	Yuma	100	72
Red Bluff	54	58			

Note—Stations marked (*) are after-noon reports of preceding day.
Rainfall—Flagstaff .30, Prince Albert .02, Rosewell .16.

A CONVERTED ENGLISHMAN.

Lord Beresford, speaking last night at the Palace theater to a large audience of sailors and soldiers, said there were represented there not only sailors and soldiers of the great Republic of the West, but also those of the Dominion of Canada, Frenchmen, Italians, and other allies. Having alluded to the old antagonism between Americans and Englishmen during the War of Independence, Lord Beresford said: "I tell you Americans, my candid opinion, for what it is worth. You would not have been worthy of the old stock from which you sprang if you had not chucked the Boston tea into the harbor in those old days." (Laughter and cheers)—London Morning Post.

A MISSING NOISE.

A very natural inquiry in these times of airplane disclosures is, where is Gutzon Borglum? Is he going as ever, or does he feel re-established by the report?—Hartford Courant.

TODAY 20 YEARS AGO

Representatives of the Reliance club won all the big races at the Elmhurst recreation park. The series of races between Captain A. P. Deacon of the Reliance club and A. T. Smith of the Aerie and Emerald clubs resulted in a clean victory for the Reliance man in all three events. Miss Ida Elizabeth Lovins, a society reporter on an Oakland newspaper for three years, was given a farewell reception by friends at The TRIBUNE office upon the occasion of her leaving for China to make her home.
Supervisor Roeth appealed to the county at large to assist him in his efforts to have the old Fish ranch road put in good condition in order to increase communication between Oakland and Contra Costa county.
Rev. E. S. Chapman delivered an address on "Loyalty to the American Flag" in the auditorium of the Y. M. C. A., Twelfth and Clay streets.

DOMESTIC CASUALTY.

This conversation was overheard in an English munition canteen after a serving of some heavy and half-cooked pudding:
Am—"This 'ere puddin' ain't 'alf 'carey stuff."
Bill—"That's nothing. My misses made some one day that we couldn't eat, so she gave it to our ducks. A few minutes later a little boy knocked at our door and said: 'Misses Jones, yer ducks have sunk.'"
—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

THE JESTER

"The groom was attired in the conventional black."
"What's the matter with you? You mean khaki!"—Kansas City Journal.

Same Thing.
Wife—"You don't give me as handsome presents as you used to."
Hub—"No, but I have to pay for those you give yourself."—Boston Transcript.

Explained.
No wonder the Huns are trying to avoid submarine service. It isn't so easy to pull the "Kamerad" stunt on a U-boat.—Exchange.

REPRESENTED BY BLANKS.

The Socialist party in Massachusetts has succeeded in nominating only one candidate, and that for the head of its ticket, Joseph A. Murphy of this city, whose candidacy for lieutenant governor was spasmodically advanced, failed to attain a place on the ballot by virtue of being one name short in his list of certified signatures. The candidate for secretary of state lacked nine certified names on his papers, and others were further behind the requirements. Such nominations are merely honorary at best, and are used to advance the doctrine of the party rather than to obtain an election that is not even a remote possibility in this state.—Lowell Courier-Citizen.

OAKLAND Ouboum
Now Playing
2nd WEEK
D.W. Griffith's
"THE GREAT LOVE"
Dailies
2:15 and 8:15.
1200 Seats at 25c.
Next week, return
of "THE GREAT LOVE"
"THE WORLD"

KINEMARK
Today and All Week
MARY PICKFORD
in "The Love of Life"
in her
"HOW COULD YOU JEAN?" Also Mack Sennett comedy, Allied War Review No. 8.
Dailies 2:15 and 8:15.

BROADWAY
William Russell
in "UP ROMANCE ROAD."
Fast-fizzling, hard-hitting Bill, on the trail and in the midst of the conspirators.
See This One.
MABLE NORMAND and
PATTY ARBUCKLE in
"THE BRIGHT LIGHTS."
"THE GREAT HINDU CONSPIRACY."

NEW ED THEATRE
Today and All Week
LEWIS STINE in the best drama of the entire war, "INSIDE THE LINES."
Edith Roberts in "The Love Swindle."
ALFRED HAYAN, comedy singer.
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AMERICAN
Today—For 4 Days:
William Farnum
in "The Purple Page."
Also MARGARET FISHER in
"MONEY ISN'T EVERYTHING."
John Wherry Lewis and His Orchestra.

Macdonald
They are such darlings—"Mother Carey's Chickens"—so quaint and funny and sweet! Have you seen them in the play?
JANE URBAN is just the talk of the city in this exquisite, droll Kate Douglas Wiggin book-play.

The houses are packed and jammed—every record broken—to see this famous play, and to greet Miss Urban—the idol of Oakland theatergoers. The Urban prices are very attractive—entire orchestra tonight and Wednesday night, 50c; entire balcony, 25c. Regular evening prices, 25c to \$1. Matinees Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday—all seats 25c.

OAKLAND- Friday, Sept. 6
CIRCUS
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A CIRCUS OF NATIONS
DOORS OPEN AT 1 AND 2 P.M.
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Tickets on sale show day at Sherman, Clay Piano Co., 14th and Clay streets. Same prices as charged on the show grounds.

ADMISSION DAY
Water Nymphs' Carnival
Swimming, Music, Boxing,
Dancing
FIREWORKS

HEALTH AND HAPPINESS

Quinine the Very Best Cure and Preventive of Malaria

By DR. LEONARD K. HIRSHBERG
A. B., M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkins University)

Among the methods of preventing malarial fevers—chills, fevers and bilious fever—the use of quinine ranks high. It is not so good a method as getting rid of malarial-bearing mosquitoes where this can be done economically, but in many communities this is impracticable, at least for the present.

The use of quinine to cure malarial fevers has been known for a long time and its use for this purpose is very general. It has been employed to prevent them also for quite a while, and of late years has been extensively so used, but nothing like so generally as its use to cure. It has been used systematically since 1902 by the Italian government to prevent malaria, not much at first, but increasing its use as its good effects were seen.

Italy is a country which has been malarious—much of it highly malarious—for some centuries. In 1902 the Italian government began the sale of quinine at cost price to communities and towns which agreed to distribute it gratuitously to those unable to purchase it. In 1903 these political units, towns, etc., were obligated to issue it gratuitously to poor people for prophylactic use. In 1901 it was ordered to be given to all working people for use in this way.

According to Dr. Celli's statistics, the average number of deaths per year for the 20 years preceding 1912, was 5,155. If we take the average of the last five years we have only 3,853 deaths. This comparison of the death rates ought to indicate some of the change that has taken place in the malarial conditions in Italy since quinine prophylaxis has been used.

Let us look at statistics showing the change in the prevalence of the disease—that is, the number of cases. The number of patients from the Agro Romano, a very malarious district outside of Rome, treated in 1900 was (Celli again), 11,653. Some quinine was used in this district in 1901, and the number fell to about 8,000, but for the nine years ending in 1911, during which time it was systematically given, the average number of cases was 3,603; for the last five years, 2,974.

Now compare these figures: Prior to 1902, during which year quinine came into general use, the average number of deaths from malaria in Italy was 14,048 per year. This heavy toll has been reduced to an average of 3,853 deaths per year for the last five years. Likewise, the cases of fever from one section have been reduced from 11,653 per year to 2,974 per year for the last five years.

There is no question but what there has been a very great diminution in the amount of malaria among the farming people of Italy since the introduction of quinine prophylaxis. As no other means have been taken to prevent malaria among these people this reduction must be ascribed to the quinine taken as a preventive. Note, too, that it is a progressive reduction, increasing as the people learn its value.

In malarious regions quinine should be taken in doses of from 5 to 7 grains per day by grown people, 2 to 3 grains by children during the malarial season, say, June to November. Somewhat smaller doses will be efficient in places where malaria is not bad. If begun in March or April a certain number of relapses can be prevented.

NEW ED THEATRE

Today features begin: 12 noon, 1:25, 2:40, 4:27, 5:52, 7:15, 8:56, 10:19.

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MADGE EVANS
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Elaine Hammerstein
in "HER MAN"
8th Official War Review

Nightly all week—ALEXANDER BEVANI and his great community "Sing-Song."
Mats. and nights—Emma Lo Lier, latest songs.
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Prices—All seats, mats, 10c; nights, 10c and 15c. The orchestra. Why pay more?

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CRANE WILBUR as "Mawruss"
HENRY SUMNER as "Abe"
NEXT WEEK
"SERGEANT DEVIL MCARE"

Farrell May Get Crack at Ortega Again

May Meet at Emeryville on
Monday; Wanted for
Benefit Show

A return match between Battling Ortega and Marty Farrell to take place at Emeryville arena next Monday afternoon looks to be the next offering which Tommy Simpson will make to the bay area crowd. Right now there is plenty of talk about the bout, which was put up last Monday afternoon, many of the spectators thought should never have been stopped. The fight lasted between Ortega and Farrell would mean another big holiday for the Emeryville arena; Captain Chris Egan was right in stopping the argument, as the crowd was getting out of hand, and though Farrell made a protest, the fight could continue. Farrell says that he will not fight any more, but that he and Simpson is figuring on giving him another chance.

Tommy Simpson has asked Tommy Simpson to card the bout at the benefit show to be staged at San Francisco's Palace Theatre on Monday night. Jack Dempsey and Willie Meehan will appear in the main event. Simpson says he got out of the fight, but the bout might be barred from the Police O'Brien of San Francisco may

framed for the benefit show, with the annual fund-raiser, which is a special event. The Ortega exhibit is staged on the other side of the bay, the card would look as follows:

Bathting Ortega vs. Marty Farrell.
Tuffy Inny vs. Jimmy Duffy.
Jack Murphy vs. George Shale.
Joe Rivers vs. Joe White.
Frankie Jones vs. George Shade.
Dandy Edwards vs. Stanley Wells.
George Halo vs. Young Stanton.
Dandy Edwards vs. Barty Bramer.
Kid Booker vs. Tilla Herman.
Dandy Edwards vs. Tilla Herman.

Visiting his friends yesterday and he spent many minutes talking with Tom Bennett, who is a member of the club. Jack were old pals before the war, left for the eastern trip to defeat Fred Dempsey. Dempsey looks like the same old boy and sure relayed many a handshake.

Wesley Oler, Jr., former Yale University

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A whole flock of daring flyers in half-raising dips, glides and other acrobatic aviation feats.

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Boys' and girls' work in kitchen, garden, field and workshop.
Over 500 prizes to be divided among pupils of city and rural schools.

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Five hundred birds from Los Angeles county.

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Classes for three-galtd and five-galtd saddle horses, hunters

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Extensive showing of banner specimens of fruit and farm products demonstrating results obtainable by use of advanced methods of farming.

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Beautiful set pieces, shooting stars, clusters, etc. An hour and
a half display every night.

BAND CONCERTS, DANCING, MOVING PICTURES, VAUDEVILLE, CARNIVAL ATTRACTIONS, ETC., DAY AND NIGHT.

TIME TABLE

EFFECTIVE AUGUST 1, 1917.

OF LOCAL FERRY TRAINS			
FROM OAKLAND AND BERKELEY TO SAN FRANCISCO			
(DAILY EXCEPT AS NOTED)			
BERKELEY	PIEDMONT	OAKLAND	
Univ. Ave. and Shattuck		12th and Broadway	22nd & Edw.

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* Daily except Sunday. † Sunday only. ‡ Saturday and Sunday only.
 Lv. 41st Av. and East 14th St. 25 minutes earlier than 22nd and Bdwy.
 Lv. 14th and 31st St. 15 minutes earlier than 32nd and Bdwy.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PHONE OAK. 4127.

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Live Oak Lodge No. 61. Stated meeting Friday evening, September 6.

YERBA BUENA LODGE No. 102, P. M. 1st, 10th-12th of the Law. Stated meeting, Sept. 6, at 7:30 p. m. in Masonic Temple, 12th and Washington. Stated meeting.

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PORTER LODGE No. 272, I. O. O. F. meets every Monday evening in Porter Hall, 1918 Grove av. Odd Fellows welcome at all times.
Sept. 6, business meeting.
Sept. 6, first degree.
Sept. 6, confer first degree for Evening Star Lodge, 23rd and E. 14th st.
O. F. JOHNSON, N. G.
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GOLDEN RULE ENCAMPMENT No. 24—2nd and 4th Friday.
OAKLAND REBEKAH LODGE No. 18—Saturday.

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To Obtain Franchise

The city council, on recommendation of Acting City Attorney H. I. Magan, today adopted a resolution calling upon the American District Telegraph company to immediately take steps to obtain a franchise or lease to operate its wires over the city streets. Efforts will be made to obtain an adjustment of the franchise tax claimed as due since 1903.

proposed by Mayor Davis for the creation of a Division of Public Service to handle the "problem" was further postponed today.

CRICK LOOT IN STOLEN WALLET
—SUN, SAN DIEGO, Sept. 4.—Charged with robbing John A. Phillips, miner of Oatman, Arizona, Phillip Ymanovick, a former resident of San Diego, was charged today with robbing a man with grand larceny. While asleep in his room at 743 Turk street, Larson's wallet containing 260 shares of Mineral Hill mining stock at \$25,000, and \$35 in cash was taken.

SON REACHES FRANCE
Owen Sullivan, 660 Twenty-fifth street, has received a cablegram from his son, Louis, announcing his safe arrival in France.

BADLY HURT BY CAR
—Charles B. Phillips, a warehouse

man age 27, is at the Receiving Hospital with a possible fracture of the skull as the result of being struck by a street car at Eighth and Clay this morning. Phillips lives at 2219 Sixth street.

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TRIBUNE WILL GIVE WORKERS WORLD'S NEWS

Beginning today and continuing until the close of the war, the Oakland TRIBUNE will serve the Eastbay shipyard workers with a daily bulletin service. All of the important world and local happenings will be relayed in tabloid to the several yards where they will be posted on bulletin boards for the information of the vast army of shipyard employees who make up the Eastbay unit of the nation's second line of defense.

This news-in-brief service to the yards is in line with the well established policy of the TRIBUNE to at all times keep the public, and more particularly that portion of the public engaged in government work, in constant touch with world events.

There are many hours of the day when these men, more or less isolated in plants somewhat out of news touch with Oakland, are without knowledge of the epochal events of these history making hours. It is the purpose of the TRIBUNE to carry the news of the hour to these men—briefly, tersely and completely.

To do this the TRIBUNE has established a special wire service to the shipyards, and has detailed a special operator to transmit the world news thereto in the same form and with the same accuracy it is telegraphed to the TRIBUNE by the three world-covering news services which daily supply the TRIBUNE with the news of the world.

FOR WORLD SERIES
The scene by innings of the world series baseball games will be relayed to the several ship plants within half a minute of the time it is received in the local room of the TRIBUNE, and the information will be accompanied by a report of all individual plays of especial interest—home, or otherwise.

The part the American Crusaders are playing in this greatest of war dramas is to no portion of the American public of more absorbing interest than to their companions in arms of the shipyards. Recognizing this fact the TRIBUNE will flash to the plants every engagement of importance in which American arms and American prowess have played a part, and will cover engagements on sea as well as land.

Important happenings in the labor world will also be forwarded to the yards for posting, as will also local events of unusual interest. In fact, the TRIBUNE service to the Eastbay shipyards will be as complete a daily record of important world events as that published in the several editions of the TRIBUNE.

PRESS PLAN DENIED.
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—The Patriotic Press Association of San Francisco was denied permission yesterday by the State Council of Defense to publish a paper called "Soldiers' and Sailors' News."

ALL RECRUITING FOR ARMY ENDS; OFFICES CLOSED

Army recruiting in Oakland has entirely closed. Recruiting Sergeant Patrick Pepper, who has been in charge of the local army recruiting office on Broadway, and who has kept the offices open to complete pending business, has moved his furniture and gone practically "out of business."

This was the result of an order issued today by Colonel John H. Gardner, commanding the Western recruiting district, and means, according to army men here, a general closing of recruiting offices and the release of 12,000 men engaged in recruiting work for other duties. Northern California and Nevada stations have all received the "closing up" order.

The local marine recruiting office under First Gunner Sergeant August Lebs, has been closed for the last two weeks, although not taking men. Whether this office is to be closed permanently remains to be determined.

NEWS OF THE SHIPYARDS

New records in American shipbuilding were made during August, figures made public today by the Department of Commerce, show.

For the twelve months ending with August, the total output was 1,757,730 gross tons. Before the European war the largest production in the United States was 614,216 gross tons for the year ending June 30, 1908.

Altogether 1187 ships have been built in 1918, but 777 of them were inland craft. Two hundred and fifty-seven of the sea-going vessels were of steel and 153 of 274,297 tons were of wood. The monthly output of merchant ships, including those built for foreign owners, was 225,849 gross tons. This included 88 sea-going vessels of 253,099 gross tons. Forty-nine of these were of steel, with a tonnage of 121,162, and 39 were of wood of 91,937 tons.

The 2000-ton freighter Joan of Arc, built at the Rolph shipyard at Eureka and equipped with boilers, engines and other machinery at the Alameda plant of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation, was given her trial trip last Saturday. The test was in every way satisfactory.

The freighter Acme of the Parr-McCormick company is at the Alameda plant of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation for minor repairs. Work is progressing favorably at the 162-acre plant of the Aberthaw Construction company on the Estuary. Twelve pile-drivers are setting piles for the eight shipways and for a number of buildings, soon to be constructed. Each machine is driving 35 piles to the eight-hour shift and is working every hour of the day and night.

Within the last few days the emergency hospital at the Aberthaw plant has been completed and occupied. It is equipped with the latest surgical necessities for first-aid work and carries a full complement of surgeons, nurses and attendants.

Before the close of the current month

SOLDIER HAS TO ASK GIFTS TO GET THEM

Unless the regulations providing for sending gift packages to soldiers overseas are changed, it will not be possible to send Christmas gifts to the men at the front unless they themselves request it.

This is the answer received from the War Trade Board to inquiries regarding sending such gifts. According to the board, the regular general army order applies. This means that no package can be shipped any soldier, Y. M. C. A. worker or Red Cross worker overseas except on the written request of the person to whom the goods are to go, such request to be countersigned by an officer not before the rank of major and be presented at the postoffice or express office before the package can be shipped.

Individual export licenses are not needed for shipping goods to soldiers for their personal uses as a special license granted to the postal and customs department covers this phase. Each parcel sent must bear a list of contents and the name and address.

The restrictions do not apply to men or officers on naval vessels or attached to naval bases. Such parcels should be addressed care of postmaster, New York, and not to the American Expeditionary Forces.

Postmaster Joseph J. Rosborough today said that he has received no orders to change the present rulings, and that he expects none.

At the Barnes-Thibbets yard several flat cars loaded with boilers and other ship machinery were shunted to the side-tracks yesterday morning. Work on the new buildings is progressing satisfactorily and is being hastened as much as is consistent with proper construction.

The site of the new Rolph shipyard on the estuary has been graded and prepared for the immediate erection of buildings and ways. A large amount of lumber, iron sheeting and other building materials is at the site.

Through the efforts of Sid Spearin and Mr. McConnell of the Moore's shipyards, the public was given a real demonstration on Labor Day of how the men in the yards are working. They laid along the roadbed riveters, drillers, chippers and burners with flares on a flat car, all busy at work, the air being furnished by an air compressor on the electric locomotive.

On one flat car was the finished model of one of the freighters the Moore yard is turning out every twelve days. The model was made by Tom Carr, former founder of Moore's plant. Every assistance was given by J. A. Moore and G. M. Glendon to make the float a success and it carried off first prize for floats and also a silver trophy for appearance.

Charles Carr, formerly paymaster at the Italian shipyard, has returned to San Diego after a two weeks' visit in Oakland. Carr is now employed as paymaster by a San Diego shipbuilding firm.

Labor Pictures Are Hampered by Fog

Owing to the cloudiness of the day, which militated against the taking of moving pictures, W. E. Castro, grand marshal of the parade, announced today that pictures of the labor pageant would not be shown at the Oakland T. and D. theater as was arranged. The pictures, when developed, failed to show that clearness that would warrant them being shown at the T. and D. theater. The failure is blamed to the weather, which was cloudy and dark during the morning hours when the parade took place. More than a thousand feet of film and the incidental expense has gone down the drain.

GUESTS PICKING WALLPAPER IN HOTEL; PAGE 'EM

It's a sad, sad life, when one papers a hotel.

This is the plight of Assistant Managers Rounsvelt and Madison, at the Hotel and Casino, for they are in the throes of papering-time.

Manager W. C. Jurgens had decided to repaper several floors of the hotel, and, of course, suggested that his permanent guests might like to pick out their own paper. The two assistant managers, armed with samples, were sent forth to find the preferences of the guests.

"They found 'em," they found new preferences every minute.

One guest has changed her mind seven times about her wall paper—the last time just as the paper hangers were about to put it on the wall today.

That's why Rounsvelt and Madison wear such sad, haunted, brown-beaten looks.

For it's a papering-time at the Oakland.

FORMER ALAMEDAN IS ON DEATH LIST

Wilfred L. Riley, former Alamedan, and before leaving for the front some months ago with an Alameda contingent, a local shipyard worker, is reported dead from disease on today's casualty list.

Riley lived in Alameda with his mother at 2029 San Jose avenue. He was well known in Alameda, especially among baseball enthusiasts, being prominent among amateur players.

Other Californians whose names appear in the casualty list are: Killed in action, Lieutenant Rufus Nevius, Los Angeles; Private Robert J. Bennett, San Francisco; and Jesse J. Lay, Eureka; died of disease, Theodore W. Koethen, Los Angeles; died from accident and other causes, William Johnson, Los Angeles; Elmer Lester Freshner, Los Gatos; wounded severely, Bert Leggett, Covelo; Vaughn Keifer, Stockton; wounded, degree undetermined, Fred L. Taylor, Los Angeles; John N. Dill, Colma; missing in action, Oliver Tomlin, Pescadero; Fred R. White, Nevada City; Egidio Pacina, Parisina; Umberto Palestini, Collinsville; Charles K. Howell, Claremont; Angelo R. Romano, San Francisco; Harold E. Rous, Yulpha.

What is doing TO-NIGHT.

Golden Link Rebekah lodge gives banquet party, 7:30 p. m., Fruitvale. Women's Board of Mission in convention, Plymouth Congregational church. Macdonough—Mother Carey's Chickens. Orpheum—The Great Love. Ye Liberty—Polish and Perlmutter in Society. Frankies—Temptation. T. & D.—Inside the Lines. Franklin—Louis Glaum in A Law Unto Me. American—William Farnum in Riders of the Purple Sage. Macdonough—Mother Carey's Chickens. Broadway—William Russell in Up to the Mountains and Over the Hills. Neptune Beach—Surf swimming. Lake Merritt—Boating.

What is doing TO-MORROW.

Supervisors meet, morning. Associated Charities give annual dinner, Hotel Oakland, evening. Mills Club of Alameda county meets, Ethel club house, 2:30 p. m. Manufacturing Bureau Chamber of Commerce meets, evening. Home Guard drills, Technical high grounds, evening. Franklin J. Warren Kerrigan in One Dollar Bid. FIRES CONTROLLED. PLACERVILLE, Sept. 4.—Forest Supervisor E. L. Katok reported fourteen forest fires which started from electrical storms in the mountains to be under control after two days of hard fighting.

GIRL-SOLDIER PROBLEM AT HIGH SCHOOL

Two smashing big problems have been put up to the Parent Teacher Association of the Technical high school—how their sons and daughters are to be fed and how their daughters shall conduct themselves in the months to come when khaki-lad shoulders are the most absorbing spectacle on the horizon.

For he remembered that the Technical high school has become not alone a day and night or continuation school, but it is firmly established as a training camp for soldiers. Its future until July of 1919 is settled as such. Already the student cafeteria has disappeared. The soldiers have crowded it out.

Patriotism is not so simple a thing as shouldering a gun and dying, if need be. Mothering is not so simple a thing either. The women of the Parent Teacher Association with their own sons under the colors and their daughters in the classroom are fast coming into a realization of its perplexity and complexity.

The mothers resolved to see the board of education about the cafeteria. With a new class of 135 men this week entering the school for two months and having provided for them no other facilities for mess but what the cafeteria offered, there was no question but these hard-working, hard-drilling men should have first consideration. Portions have been taken down and they are in possession of the splendidly equipped kitchen and dining hall in addition to the space formerly reserved for the faculty lunch room.

Two months hence when the third class comes to the Technical they will bring their own cook and have their own mess, but present plans call for the school cafeteria. In the meantime, from 500 to 1000 students who have depended upon the warm meals are going without. A partial solution will be presented tomorrow when a capable woman, on philanthropic intent, will open temporary quarters in a vacant store space and offer at the noon-time such substantial as "hot dogs," sandwiches and ice milk. The arrangements extend over a period of two months.

GO TO SCHOOL HUNGRY.

For once "good business" proved disastrous. The student loyal to the school refused to patronize the nearby restaurants of mushroom growth, to the gradual disappearance of what in these days of "no lunch" might be called a good "no lunch" yesterday with only a half hour notice that the cafeteria would not be open to students, several hundreds of boys and girls went to classrooms hungry.

More space, more serving space is the crying demand in the basement dining room. The board of education is quoted as asserting it will be two months before the necessary work can be ordered. Even then, soldiers and students will be obliged to dodge each other at meal times. A delegation of mothers are going down to the board to see what they can do about the whole problem, which would be no problem if men and boys and girls did not eat. The Parent Teacher Association has put itself on record as standing ready to do whatever it can, even to opening on its own responsibility a temporary emergency lunch room, to provide for the hungry and to make a good record for children who must be fed. This is the first problem.

Now comes the second.

"War hysteria" manifests itself in a sort of slowness in the mother's desire to make it pleasant for her country's soldiers. Patriotism oftentimes is translated by her as moonlight walks, secret meetings, happy nonsense. With a school full of patriotic girlhood and a camp of homesick men, the Parent Teacher Association is taking a long breath. Quite sanely they are asking themselves, what the athletic grounds have been divided by an impassable line, with strict orders that none may cross from the one side to the other. Most logically the soldiers have been assigned the safe protection offered by the shadow of the Old Ladies' Home. It is estimated that fully a quarter of the men are married. According to faculty and mothers it is agreed that "they must not let things happen or lives be spoiled; that the reaction on the girls primarily must be considered."

DANCES ARE BARRED.

No girl under eighteen should be permitted to attend enlisted men's dances, is the unanimous verdict of the mothers. Then what would they?

Three dances were given by the Parent Teacher Association to the first class of men who occupied the school during vacation time. Will they be repeated? The mothers do not know. The women met occasionally and had the lads bring all their wearing apparel which needed a needle. They were given illustrated lectures. They even borrowed six pounds of sugar for the soldiers which they are wondering how they are going to pay back from their income.

Parents, Attention

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individual allowance of two pounds a month. To meet their obligations they are debating taking a collection of sugar. But will they do it now? They do not know.

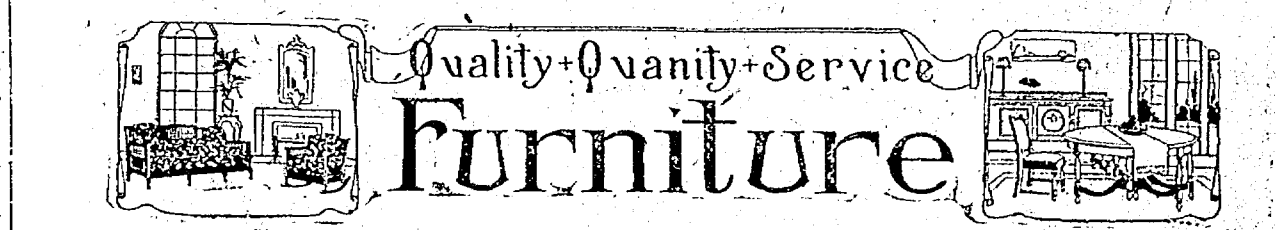
In a fortnight a special meeting will be called to discuss again the huge problems. Faculty will be consulted. The soldiers and girls themselves will be interviewed. But in the meantime the cafeteria is closed to students and the boys in training are being given no dances or parties. And the mothers themselves are wearing frowns and emitting sighs while they pray a deliverance from the epidemic disease of war hysteria.

Wants Widows to Marry No More

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 4.—(by Associated Press)—Enactment of a law in Germany to prevent widows from re-marrying so as to leave the few available men for single women is urged in a letter to the Tag by a Munich doctor, Hans von Herbig. He points out that widows, re-marrying after the war would have a detrimental effect on the birth rate. "On Dec. 1, 1910," he writes, "there were in Germany about 300,000 widows between the ages of 18 and 45. At a very modest estimate there are now 500,000."

"Come-Back Night" To Be Celebrated

BERKLEY, Sept. 4.—"Come Back Night" will be celebrated at the Elks clubroom this evening with singing and speaking, followed by camouflaged criticism by Winfield Scott Schmidt. Clinton R. Morse, chairman of the stunts committee, has announced that Jo S. Hill will speak on "Sidelights of Banking," and Tom Fox will tell all he knows about "Shipbuilding." There will be music by local artists.



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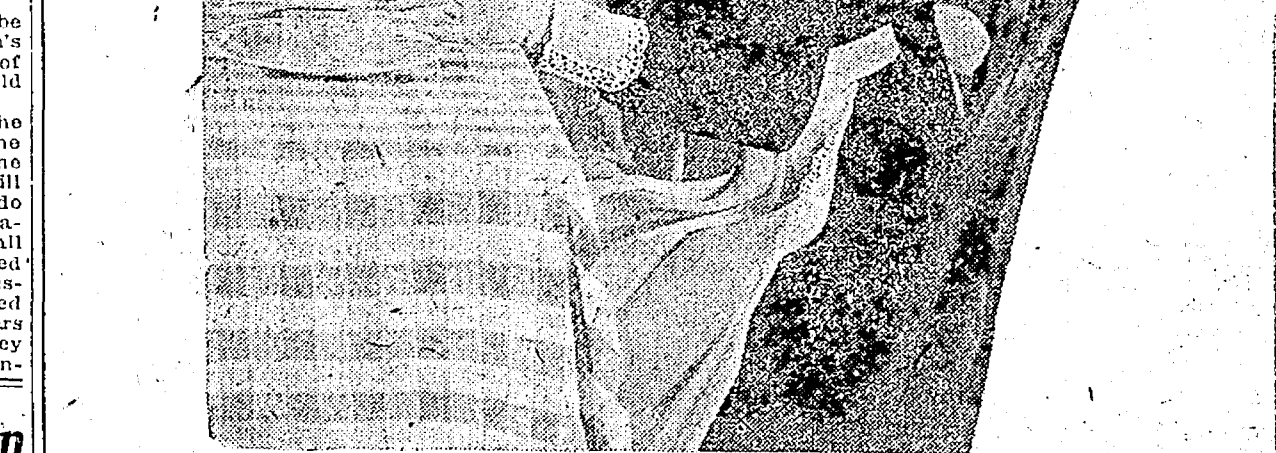


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